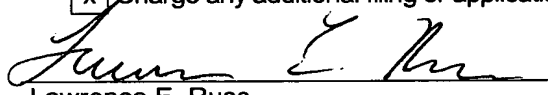
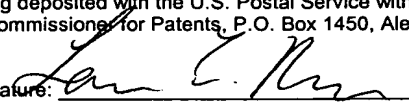




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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b>			Docket No. SONYTA 3.3-132	
Application No. 09/869,515	Filing Date October 10, 2001	Examiner A. Sherkat	Art Unit 2131	
Applicant(s): Masateru Akachi				
Invention: INFORMATION TRANSMISSION SYSTEM AND METHOD, TRANSMITTING APPARATUS, RECEIVING APPARATUS, DATA PROCESSING DEVICE AND DATA PROCESSING METHOD, AND RECORDING MEDIUM				
<b>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS</b>				
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.				
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.				
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 Lawrence E. Russ Attorney Reg. No.: 35,342			Dated: <u>August 4, 2005</u>	
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In response to the Official Action mailed May 4, 2005, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.